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Romare Bearden (1914-), Study for *Family*, 1986, ceramic tile, 10 X 12 feet; Commissioned by the U.S. General Services Administration for the Federal Building, Jamaica, New York

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Celebrating the Vitality of American Art in Federal Buildings

Great governments throughout history have embraced the art of their time. GSA's Art-in-Architecture program continues that tradition by commissioning works of art for Federal buildings nationwide. This

scene by Romare Bearden reflects three generations of a family remembered from his early years in the South. Mr. Bearden was awarded the President's National Medal of Arts in June, 1987.

Art-in-Architecture
1962-1987
Silver Anniversary